

## LAUNCH AT YARD TODAY

Sidewheel Steamer Jamestown  
Goes Over at 1 o'clock.

## LITTLE MISS NORMENT SPONSOR

Gates of Yard to Be Thrown Open  
to Public for First Time Since  
Launching at Warwick.

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The new sidewheel steamer Jamestown, under construction at the local shipyard for the Norfolk & Washington Steamboat Company, will be launched shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon. The yard will close down at noon and the gates will be thrown open to the public for the first time since the battleship Minnesota was launched last year.

Little Miss Norment, daughter of the treasurer of the steamboat company, has been chosen sponsor for the new craft and will break the traditional bottle of champagne against the boat's hull as she gives it its name. A large party of the officials of the company and their friends will come down from Washington this morning to witness the launch. After the vessel has been put overboard the guests will attend a luncheon at Hotel Warwick, given by the yard in honor of the sponsor.

Although the keel of the Jamestown was laid only about three months ago, the work on her has been rushed and she will soon be ready for delivery. The boat is to be in day service on the Potomac river at present, but it is probable that she will be brought to Hampton Roads during the Jamestown exposition.

March 16th.

## Arrived.

Steamer Cayo Manzanilla (Br.) Watt, London—To C. H. Arnel for bunker coal.

Steamer Telesfora (Sp.) Bengoa, New Orleans—To C. H. Arnel for bunker coal.

Steamer Thomas Wayman (Br.) Johnson, Port Tampa—To Smokeless Fuel Company for bunker coal.

Steamer Indiana, Philadelphia—To Newport News Dry Dock Company for repairs.

Steamer Juniata, Jones, Baltimore—To Merchants' & Miners' Transportation Company with passengers and merchandise.

Steamer Ontario, Marsh, Boston—To Merchants' & Miners' Transportation Company with passengers and merchandise.

Steamer Monroe, Hulphers, New York—To Old Dominion Steamship Company with passengers and merchandise.

Schooner Lucinda Sutton, O'Brien, Boston—To Consolidated Coal Company for cargo of coal.

Schooner Gardner G. Deering, Ross, Boston—To Chesapeake & Ohio Coal & Coke Company for cargo of coal.

Schooner Governor Ames, King, Boston—To Consolidated Coal Company for cargo of coal.

## Sailed.

Steamers: Cayo Manzanilla (Br.) Watt, London & Howell; Telesfora (Sp.) Bengoa, Rotterdam; Thomas Wayman, (Br.) Johnson, Ghent; Allegheny (Br.) Hornsden, Liverpool; Juniata, Jones, Boston; Ontario, Marsh, Baltimore; Princess Anne, Tapley, New York via Norfolk.

Schooner Samuel J. Goucher, Crowley, Portland.

Bargess: Braddock, Boston; Remus, Portland.

## Entered at Custom House.

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## Cleared.

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## Calendar for This Day.

Sun rises ..... 6:13 a. m.  
Sun sets ..... 6:14 p. m.  
High water ..... 2:18 a. m.—2:50 p. m.  
Low water ..... 8:45 a. m.—8:56 p. m.

## ANXIOUS TO SPEND MONEY.

Men in Philippines Want Native Lumber Even Though It Costs More.  
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 16.—The recommendation of General Leonard Wood that native woods be used in the construction of army buildings in the Philippine Islands is endorsed by army quartermasters who have charge of that work as being more durable and as answering the purpose in all respects much better than the lumber brought from the United States.

The quartermaster general's office in Washington, has been gathering

statistics on this subject, and, according to reports received from various parts of the islands, there is no doubt that native wood would be all that is claimed for it by its advocates. Its use, however, would cost the government about five times the price represented in the employment of American lumber, including the expense of transpacific delivery.

In the first place, there are few, if any, facilities for obtaining the lumber which is acquired in the Philippines from the native forests. Another item to be considered is the interisland transportation. The means for this service are limited, necessarily, in the islands both on land and water, and it would require a great increase in the system of transportation under the quartermaster's department to have this wood delivered at the mill or at places where it is to be used. There would have to be plants established for the preparation of the material for construction purposes.

These three features would bring the cost of native wood employed in army construction up to a prohibitive rate. It will be several years, therefore, before army or other governmental construction in the Philippine Islands will depend entirely upon native wood.

## VACCINATED TWICE IN 2 YEARS.

Louise Vaughan Picked Once at Home, Again at School.

(Special to the Daily Press.)

Louise Vaughan, the twelve year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Vaughan, 504 Denny Street, was vaccinated at her home last Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock by Dr. A. B. Cosby. Yesterday morning, between the hours of 9 and 12, the girl was revaccinated at Nicholson Street School by Dr. George E. Barksdale, acting under orders from the Board of Health, the two incisions being made within less time than forty-eight hours. Mrs. Vaughan, mother of the child, said today that the incision made by the first vaccination was, to her way of thinking, a pretty deep one. "My daughter protested against the second vaccination at the school," said Mr. Vaughan, "telling the physician that she had already been vaccinated before on Saturday. To this the physician replied to my child, saying that the first might not take and that she must be vaccinated again." Dr. Barksdale, when seen today regarding the case, said that he remembered vaccinating the child; that he had vaccinated so far about seventy; that he had no distinct recollection as to whether the child protested or not, and that he was working under the orders of the Board of Health, which required him to vaccinate these children.

Dr. A. B. Cosby, when called up over the telephone confirmed the statement of Mrs. Vaughan as to his having vaccinated her child on Saturday and expressed great surprise and some astonishment that the child should have passed through a second and similar ordeal at Nicholson School on yesterday.

The mother of the girl is in some fear as to the ultimate outcome on the health of the girl.—Richmond Journal.

## HOT BIRDS ON THE "DON'T LIST"

League of Sportsmen Will Prosecute Game Law Violations.

NEW YORK, March 16.—The League of American Sportsmen has issued a circular through its president, G. O. Shields, warning market men, hotels and restaurants and clubs that this is the "closed season" and that hereafter "no game of any kind can be legally sold or had in possession in this state until September 1 next."

The league was organized for the purpose of protecting game and game fishes, the song, insectivorous and other innocent birds. Its prime object is to enforce the game laws, where such exist, and to obtain and enforce such laws where not now in existence.

Mr. Shields says the league will carry to the highest court any infringement of the "closed season" in the city or state. This means that the nightly patron of the uptown restaurants must do without his grouse, plover, woodchuck, quail, duck and other dainty dishes.

The rule of importing this appetizing game from other parts of the country is also prohibited by an opinion handed down on February 27 by the Court of Appeals in the case of August Silz and the proprietor of the Clarendon Hotel.

The league carried this case to the highest court. Prior to this decision there had been a law passed by the Legislature covering not only game in this state, but "imported" game. The Lacey law enacted by Congress in 1900 was supposed to be effective, but the league, finding gross violations, decided to carry its case to the Court of Appeals. The opinion of the Court of Appeals sustained every particular of the state and federal statutes.

## AIMED AT DANCE HALLS

Chicago Church Workers Have  
Plan to Suppress Exil.

## AMUSEMENTS TO BE PROVIDED

In One District in Windy City There  
Are Nearly a Hundred Saloons and  
Resorts and Its There Where the  
Scheme Is to Be Started.

(Special to the Daily Press.)  
CHICAGO, ILLS., March 16.—A social scheme designed to compete direct with neighboring saloons and dance halls, offering opportunities for refreshment, as well as club rooms, a gymnasium and indoor games, is to be built by the Second Baptist church, Morgan and Monroe streets, of which Rev. John Roach Straton, is the pastor.

Within a radius of three blocks of the church there are 83 saloons. With these and with their accompanying dance halls and dives the settlement will contend for the favors of young men and women who live in the boarding houses which occupy the greater part of the region.

The settlement is to be a memorial to Mrs. Elizabeth Aiken, familiarly known as "Aunt Lizzie," who was an army nurse during the civil war and local missionary of the church. A building to cost \$100,000 will be erected on land immediately adjoining the church edifice where a settlement will be conducted under distinctly Christian auspices.

## ONE REASON FOR NO PAINT.

Farmers Object to Increase in Their  
Taxes on Out Buildings.

A Philadelphia paint dealer gives a peculiar reason for the number of unpainted barns to be seen in the rural districts. He says that because taxes are higher on painted structures the farmer often refuses to paint any of his out-buildings, despite the fact that paint to preserve the life of such a structure is cheaper than the lumber and carpenter work needed to put up a new one.

The fact seems to be that the average rural tax assessor never notices an unpainted barn, but as soon as it is painted it strikes him as an improvement and he raises the valuation to such a point that the farmer who knows the situation decides not to paint.—Philadelphia Record.

## HENS LAY EGGS WITH HANDLES.

Ornithologist "Suggested" the Admirable Idea.

(Special to the Daily Press.)  
NEW YORK, March 16.—Robert W. Foster, Jr., of Newton, Sussex county, N. J., an ornithologist and biologist, has succeeded, with the able assistance of his white Leghorn roosters and hens, in developing an egg with a handle.

Mr. Foster will not tell how he educated the Leghorns up to this, but he has seven eggs with handles. One such is on exhibition in the editorial room of the Sussex Register and proves the power of suggestion over intelligent and obedient fowls.

On the small end of this egg is a protuberance from the shell about as big as the handle of a tiny demitasse. The butt of the egg is flattened, so that the egg stands by itself. Any one can see the immense economic and commercial value of an egg so shaped. Eggcups will be superfluous hereafter.

But Mr. Foster is reaching for a higher triumph. He is adding, gradually, whiskey, sugar and nutmeg to the water his Leghorns drink. He expects soon to ship egg-nogs by the crate labeled.

"Slice off the top. That's all."

## PROVIDES FOR PET DOG.

Chicago Broker Leaves \$20,000 for  
the Care of His Fox Terrier.

(Special to the Daily Press.)  
CHICAGO, March 16.—The will of George C. Watts, a contractor and Board of Trade operator, filed for probate today, makes a bequest of \$20,000 to provide a home for his pet fox terrier Bill and \$300 to care for his riding horse King.

After providing for his dog and horse, the testator makes a codicil, giving an income of \$50 a month to his brother-in-law, John T. Stafford, and \$3,000 a year to William K. Gore who is made executor to carry out the provisions of the will. The Watts estate is valued at \$100,000.

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